

THE COMPREHENSIVE ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSE, COMPENSATION  
AND LIABILITY ACT (CERCLA)

14-22. Administrative Record and Public Participation

1. AUTHORITY. Pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation And Liability Act, as amended, (CERCLA), Sections 113(k) and 117; and 40 CFR Part 300, "National Oil and Hazardous Substances Pollution Contingency Plan" (NCP):

a. To establish and make available an administrative record as the basis for response action selection; and

b. To provide for public participation in developing the administrative record and adopting the response action.

2. TO WHOM DELEGATED. Director, Hazardous Site Cleanup Division (HSCD), Associate Division Director, Office of Superfund Site Remediation, HSCD; Associate Division Director, Office of Preparedness and Response, HSCD, Associate Division Director, Office of Federal Facility Remediation and Site Assessment, HSCD.

3. REDELEGATION AUTHORITY. These authorities may not be redelegated without formal amendment.

4. ADDITIONAL REFERENCES.

1. CERCLA, Sections 104, 106, 120, 121, and 122.

2. Delegation 1-21, "Federal Register."

5. SUPERSESSON. Delegations Manual, CERCLA, Regional Delegation 14-22. Administrative Record and Public Participation, 1200 TN RIII-157 (November 7, 2003).

Date 9/1/05  
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/s/ James W. Newsom

Donald S. Welsh  
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